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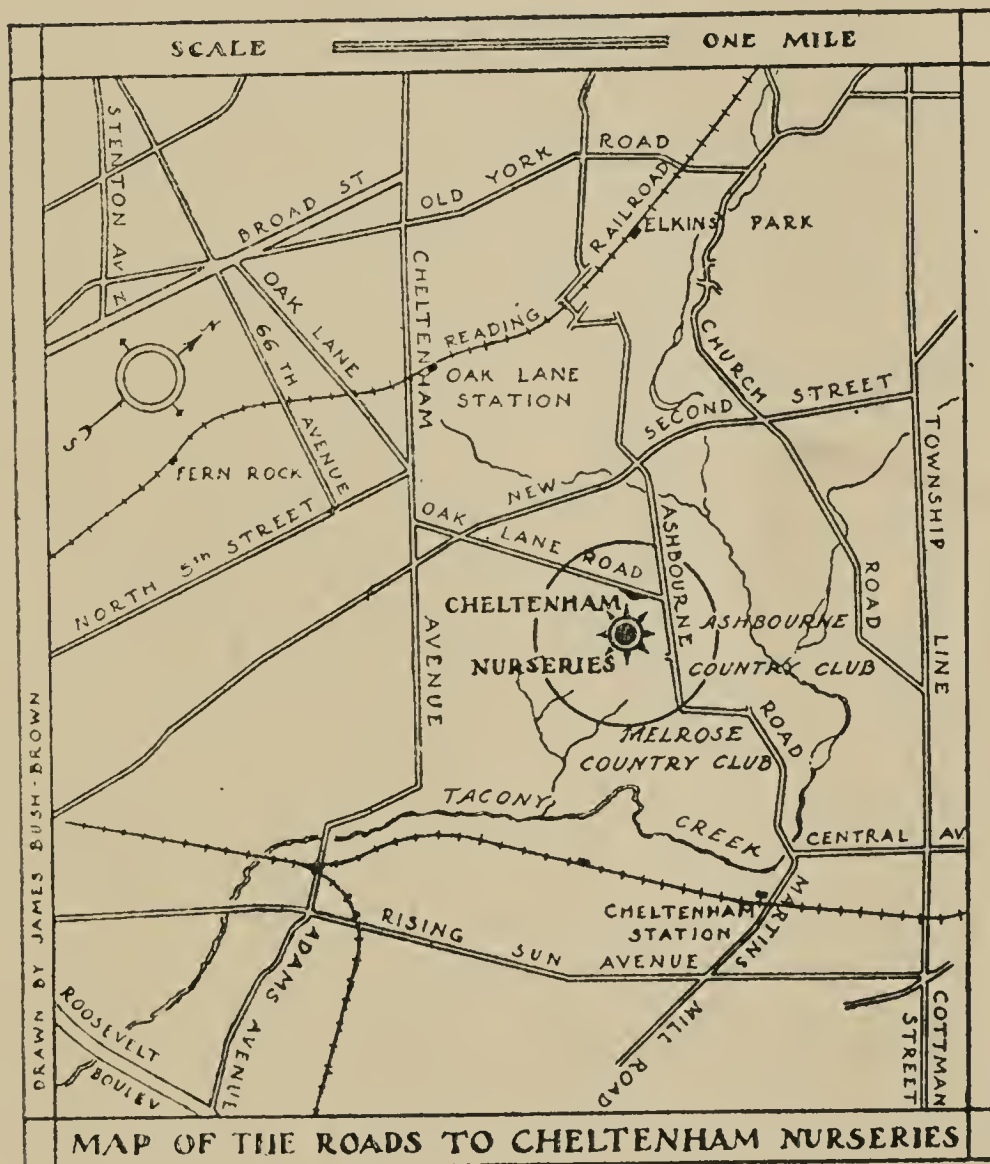
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# Perennials



## Cheltenham Nurseries

Ashbourne Road  
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Melrose 1832



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### TERMS

All goods listed are offered subject to crop failure and other unavoidable causes; and upon their being unsold upon receipt of order. Prices are not static, but vary, necessarily, according to season and age of plants.

While every care is taken to make our plants strong and healthy, we cannot guarantee them to live, as after treatment and weather conditions are beyond our control. Should any plants be mislabeled we will replace them without charge, upon submission of proper proof; here, however, our responsibility ends.

Unknown correspondents will please send two references if credit is desired; in general we prefer to do business on a cash basis.

Whenever possible it is advantageous for customers to call at the nursery and select their own plants. We make a charge of \$.25 for packing for shipment orders under \$5.00, in order partially to cover this expense. Small packages sent by parcel post; other orders by express, collect. Orders over \$5.00 may be delivered free within five miles, and special arrangements may be made for greater distances. Plants travel at purchaser's risk, as our responsibility ceases upon delivery to the transportation company, in good order.

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### CHELTENHAM NURSERIES,

(Miss) E. P. RIDGWAY, *Manager.*

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IF WE HAVEN'T IT WE WILL GET IT FOR YOU!

### Potted Herbaceous Perennials

We offer specimen plants in pots for filling last minute vacancies

# Perennials, Natives and Rock Garden Plants

The following list is made up of herbaceous perennials (and a few biennials) suitable for the border, the rock garden or the wild garden. The plants are strong and well grown; those for the border and wild garden are mostly field grown, while those for the rock garden are mostly pot grown. We have smaller sizes of many of these plants which we can sell for lower prices and specimens or large potted plants at a slightly increased rate; we will be glad to give you further information on these or any other plants in which you may be interested. If we don't list what you want we may have it in small quantities or be able to get it for you—just ask us.

The first name is the botanical name, and the number following it gives the usual height at maturity. The common name is printed in italics, after which is indicated the usual blooming season.

- Achillea ageratum, 2', June-August. Flowers bright yellow. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.
- ptarmica Boule de Nieve, 2', Ball of Snow. An improvement on A. p. fl. pl.; smaller, but more perfect.
- — floreplena, 18"-30", Double Sneezewort; July-August. Excellent white flowers for border and cutting. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.
- Aconitum Fischeri, 3', Common Monkshood; September. Sturdy plant withstanding shade; blue.
- autumnale, 4', Autumn Monkshood; September-October. Violet blue.
- Spark's Variety, 5', June. Dark blue—more slender than most monkshoods.
- Aethionema persicum, Lebanon Candytuft; all summer. Creeping alpine subshrub, with pink flowers; likes lime.
- Alyssum argenteum, 1', June. Greenish yellow flowers, light and airy. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.
- montanum, 3", May. An alpine alyssum—resents damp.
- saxatile citrinum, 6", Golden Basket, Golden Tuft; April-May. Like type except for a dwarfer habit, and flowers which are an attractive shade of pale yellow.
- — compactum, 8". Compact form of the bright yellow type.
- Anchusa italica Dropmore, 3'-4', Alkanet; May-June. Flowers blue, pinkish buds.
- mysotidiflora, 1', Forget-me-not Flowered Anchusa. Delightful bright blue flowers in spring.
- Anemone hupehensis, 18". August-September. Looks like a miniature A. Japonica; mauve pink.
- japonica Queen Charlotte, 3', Japanese Anemone; October. A very handsome plant, but a bit fussy. Semi-double clear pink flowers.
- Anemone japonica Whirlwind, 2'-3'; October. Semi-double white flowers.
- September Charm. A novelty. Cross between A. hupensis and A. japonica, with early blooming habit of former and large silvery pink flowers. \$.50 each.
- pulsatilla, 9"-12", Pasque Flower; April. Flowers purple to pale violet, decorative seed pods; a plant for rock garden or wild garden; sun or semi-shade.
- — rubra-variety of preceding with brownish red flowers.
- Anthemis tinctoria, 3', Golden Marguerite; June-August. Bright yellow daisy like flowers, excellent for cutting. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.
- — alba. A light cream variety.
- — Kelwayii, 2'-3'. Softer yellow than type and rather larger flowers.
- Aquilegia, Columbine, 1'-3', lovely spring blooming plants that grow in sun or shade. Require good drainage.
- caerulea, 2', May-June. The beautiful blue and white long spurred columbine from the west.
- — Rose Queen, May-June. Lovely pink long spurred flowers.
- canadensis, April-May. Yellow and scarlet. Slender native columbine.
- chrysantha, 3'-4', June-July. Golden spurred columbine with fragrant flowers. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.
- flabellata, 1', May. Compact variety with white flowers and good foliage; for the rock garden.
- Hensol Harebell, 18". Novelty; profusion of violet blue flowers.
- Mrs. Scott Elliot's Long Spurred Hybrids. Various delicate colors; a fine strain.

All plants \$.25 each, \$2.50 per dozen, unless otherwise marked.



*Arabis alpina*, 3"-10", *Rock Cress*; April-May. Attractive white flowers for border or rock garden. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— *alpina florepleno*, *Double Rock Cress*; April-May. Fragrant white flowers.

*Arenaria caepitosa*, *Sandwort*. A creeping, moss-like plant for the rock garden.

— *montana*, May. Spreading prostrate plant with very attractive white flowers.

*Armeria alpina*, 3", *Thrift*; May-August. Compact tufts of foliage, with bright pink flowers.

— *formosa* (*Cephalotes*), 1', *Sea Pink*; June. Good for edging.

*Artemisia abrotanum*, 3', *Southernwood*. Old-fashioned aromatic herb with attractive foliage.

— *gnaphalodes* var. *Silver King*, 2'. Grown for its lovely silver gray foliage, which may be dried.

— *vulgaris lactiflora*, 4'-5', *Scented Mugwort*; August-September. A tall growing plant with creamy white flowers good for the back of the border and fine for cutting.

*Asclepias tuberosa*, 2', *Butterfly Weed*; July-August. Umbels of orange red flowers in late summer. Prefers sandy soil in sunny situation.

*Aster alpinus*, 3"-10", *Alpine Aster*; May-June. Violet colored daisy-like flowers suitable for the rockery; sun or half-shade.

— — *albus*, 3"-10", May-June. Dwarf white aster with single flowers and yellow center.

— *novae-anglae*, 5', *Michaelmas Daisy*; September-October. Lavender-violet flowers with yellow centers on tall stems.

— — *Barr's pink*, 4', September-October. Mallow pink; very floriferous. \$.35 each, \$3.50 per dozen.

— *novae-belgii* *Queen Mary*, 3'. Very pleasing soft blue; September. \$.35 each, \$3.50 per dozen.

— — *St. Egwin*, 15", September. Small pink asters.

— *subcaeruleus*, 9", May-September. Large lavender blue flowers.

*Astilbe Juno*, 1'-3', *Japanese False Goat's Beard*, June. Feathery panicles of violet rose. Moist rich soil and semi-shade. \$.35 each, \$3.50 per dozen.

*Aubrietia Dr. Mules*, trailing, *Purple Rock Cress*; April-May. Imperial purple; very floriferous. Requires excellent drainage.

— *Hendersonii*. Violet.

— *hybrida* gr. fl. Mostly purple. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Belamcanda chinensis*, 2', *Blackberry Lily*; July-August. Orange with darker spots and attractive black seeds; iris-like foliage. Fine for border or naturalizing in sunny places.

*Bocconia cordata*, 3'-8', *Plume Poppy*; July-August. Panicles of small creamy white flowers, silvery green foliage and attractive in seed. Tall plant for shrubby border.

Bleeding Heart, see *Dicentra*.

*Calamintha alpina*, 6", *Alpine Calamint*; June-August. A rock garden plant with fragrant purple flowers. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Calimeris incisia*, 18", July-August. Small white aster like flowers with yellow centers; continuous bloomer.

*Calluna vulgaris*, 9", *Heath*; August. Evergreen with rose-colored flowers; requires very acid soil. \$.50 each.

*Campanula carpatica*, 9", *Carpathian Harebell*; July-September. Erect cup-shaped bright blue flowers. Fine for rock gardens and edgings because of its long blooming season.

— *fragilis*, 4", June-October. A tiny purple blue species; delicate.

— *garganica*, 6", May-September. Pretty small trailing species, with pale violet blue flowers. \$.35 each, \$3.50 per dozen.

— *glomerata*, 1'-2', *Clustered Bellflower*; June-July. Funnel-shaped light blue flowers in terminal clusters.

— *medium*, 18"-3', *Canterbury Bells*; June-August. Old favorites; in color, pink, white or blue. Biennial.

— — *calycanthemum*, *Cup and Saucer* or *Hose in Hose*; June. In color, pink, white or lavender. Blooms rather later than *C. medium*.

— *muralis*, 6", *Rock Harebell*; May-June. Small compact plant with lilac bell-shaped flowers suitable for the rock garden.

— *persicifolia*, *Telham Beauty*, 18"-3', *Peach-leaved Bellflower*; June-July. A attractive bell-shaped violet colored flower for rockery and border.

*All plants \$.25 each, \$2.50 per dozen, unless otherwise marked.*

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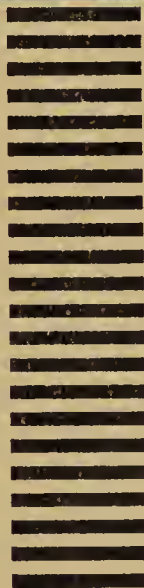
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☐ PRIMULAS AND VIOLAS

*The following plants particularly interest me. Could you grow them for me?*

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- Campanula Trachelium*, 2'-3', *Coventry Bells*, *Blue Foxgloves*; July-August. Fine for naturalizing—sun or shade. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.
- *rotundifolia*, 6"-12", *English Harebell* or *Bluebells* of Scotland; June-August. Small blue bells on slender wiry stems. Good for edgings, walls or crevices in rock gardens or naturalized. Sun or semi-shade.
- Caryopteris Mastacanthus*, 2'-3', *Blue Spirea*; August-October. A charming blue flower for the border and cutting.
- Centranthus ruber*, 18", *Red Valerian*; May-June. Grey-green foliage with clusters of rose pink flowers. Good in border or rock garden and useful for cutting. Blooms sparingly all summer. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.
- — *alba*. A white variety of the type.
- — *improved*. A clearer color than the type; carmine pink.
- Cerastium tomentosum*, 3"-6", *Snow-in-summer*; May. White flowers; fine for rock garden. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.
- Chelone Lyoni*, 2', *Lyon's Turtle Head*; August. Rose pink flowers with glossy foliage. Will grow in moist soil and semi-shade.
- Cherianthus Allioni*, 18", *Siberian Wall Flower*; May. Bright orange flowers. Useful in the rock garden or early spring bloom in the border. Will bloom over a long period if cut back. Best treated as biennial. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.
- *cheiri* Sutton's Orange Bedder, 18", *English Wallflower*; April-May. A flame-colored variety of this fragrant old favorite.
- Chrysanthemum*, hardy garden varieties, 18"-3', September-November.  
*Barbara Cummings*, early large yellow.  
*Bronze Buckingham*, yellow bronze single.  
*Frances Whittelsey*, rich bronze red, mid-season.  
*Little Bob*, large reddish brown button.  
*Mae Suydam*, large bronze, late.  
*Mrs. Buckingham*, single pink, late.  
\$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.
- *coreanum*, 2'-4', *Korean Chrysanthemum*; September-November. Pink and white daisy-like flowers with yellow centers; flowers freely.
- *maximum*, Alaska, 2', *Shasta Daisy*; June-July. Extremely large white daisy.
- Clematis Davidiana*, 4', August-September. Bright blue fragrant flowers.
- *paniculata*, vine, *Virgin's Bower*; September. The common feathery white clematis; likes lime.
- Convallaria majalis*, 8", *Lily of the Valley*; May. Popular small bulb for shady places. Small clumps, \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.
- Coreopsis lanceolata*, 2', *Large Flowered Tickseed*; June-September. Showy yellow flowers. Fine for border and cutting. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.
- Cyclamen neapolitanum*, 6", September-November. Small bulbous plants dying down in summer but green all winter. Attractive rosy flowers. Requires excellent drainage and leafmould. \$.75 each.
- Cypripedium acaule*, 8"-1', *Pink Lady's Slipper*; May-June. Lovely native; acid soil and deep shade.
- *pubescens*, 1'-2', *Large Yellow Lady's Slipper*; May-June. Yellow with brown markings; shade.
- Daisy, Shasta—see *Chrysanthemum*.
- Delphinium*, Blackmore and Langdon's Choice Hybrids, 3'-5'; June. Blue shades; a fine English strain. Usually bloom a second time if flowers are cut.
- *chinensis*, 2'-4', *Chinese Delphinium*; all summer. Chinese blue flowers in loose spikes. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.
- Dianthus barbatus*, 18", *Sweet William*; June. Crimson; Newport Pink (salmon pink); White; Mixed. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.
- *Beatrix*, 12", May-September. Novelty. Everblooming fragrant double pink. \$.50 each.
- *caesius*, 8", *Cheddar Pink*; June. A dwarf variety with gray-green leaves and fringed rose-pink scented flowers. Well drained position in sunny rock garden or wall.
- *caryophyllus*, Chabund Giant Salmon Queen, 18". A handsome variety of hardy carnation.
- — Perpetual Border Carnation, 2'.
- *deltoides*, 6"-9", *Maiden Pink*; June. A small vivid pink for the rock garden. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.
- *plumarius*, 1', *Scotch or Garden Pinks*; May-June. Old-fashioned spicy flowers, pink to white. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.
- *sylvestris*, 1', May-October. Neat tufted foliage; graceful pink flowers.
- Dicentra eximia*, 1', *Wild Bleeding Heart*; June-August. Airy plant bearing miniature bleeding hearts. Sun or semi-shade.
- *spectabilis*, 18"-30", *Bleeding Heart*; April-June. A lovely old-fashioned pink flower. \$.50 \$.40 and \$.25 each.

All plants \$.25 each, \$2.50 per dozen, unless otherwise marked.



*Dictamnus albus*, 2'-3', *Dittany or Gas Plant*; May-June. White flowers and glossy green foliage. Plant in rich soil; sun or semi-shade and do not disturb often.

*Digitalis*, 3'-4', *Foxgloves*; June-July. Well known, old-fashioned plants, with spikes of drooping flowers. Mostly biennials.

— *ambigua*, 30", May-September. Attractive pale yellow flowers; perennial.

— *Giant Shirley*, 5', June. White to rose, large flowered variety. Biennial.

— *gloxiniaeflora*. White. Biennial.

— *lutea*, 3', *Yellow Foxglove*; June-July. A true perennial foxglove with small light yellow flowers. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— *Sutton's Apricot*, 3'. Pale apricot flowers. Biennial.

— *Sutton's Giant Primrose*, 4'. Very handsome variety, with full spikes of creamy flowers.

*Dodecatheon media*, 1', *Shooting Star*; April-May. Pink; rich soil in half shade.

*Doronicum excelsum*, 2', *Leopard Bane*; May-June. Large yellow daisy for border or rockery.

*Dracocephalum Ruyschianum*, 1', *Dragon-head*; July. Blue spikes.

*Echinops ritro*, 3', *Globe Thistle*; July-August. Metallic blue, thistle-like flowers for border. Ever lastings. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Epimedium alpinum*, 10", *Barrenwort*; May. Dainty carmine pink flowers with attractive foliage. Suitable for semi-shady place in rock garden.

*Erigeron speciosus*, 2', *Fleabane*; June-July. Lilac colored daisies. \$.20 each.

*Euonymus radicans*, *Winter Creeper*. Excellent for a ground cover, to cover a low wall or where a low hedge is needed.

*Eupatorium ageratoides*, 3', *White Snake Root*; August-September. White ageratum-like flowers; weedy. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— *coelestinum*, 1'-2', *Mistflower*; hardy *ageratum*; September-October. A lovely lavender blue flower, excellent for cutting.

Ferns, grown for their attractive foliage. They all like a good deal of humus.

*Adiantum pedatum*, *Hardy Maidenhair Fern*. Prefers deep shade and leafmould. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Athyrium felix-femina*, *Lady Fern*. Graceful fronds, grows in sun or shade. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.

*Onoclea sensibilis*, *Sensitive Fern*. A low growing fern with coarse leaves; prefers moist ground. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.

*Osmunda cinnamomea*, *Cinnamon Fern*. Three feet tall, growing in crowns, this fern makes a striking appearance. Prefers sun and moisture.

— *regalis*, *Royal Fern*. A most attractive fern, growing about two and one-half feet high; likes wet ground. \$.30 each, \$3.00 per dozen.

*Polystichum acrostichoides*, *Christmas Fern*. Evergreen and extremely ornamental, fronds two to three feet tall; indifferent to sun or amount of moisture. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Funkia lanceolata albomarginata*, 18", July. Pale lilac flowers. Variegated foliage.

— *ovata*, 2', *Plaintain Lily*; June. Stately plants spreading rapidly in rich soil. Flowers lavender. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.

— *subcordata*, 18", August. Fragrant white plaintain lily. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Gaillardia Portola Hybrids*, 2', *Blanket Flower*; June-November. Daisy-like flowers shading yellow, red and brown.

*Geum Lady Stratheden*, 18", *Avens*; June-August. Attractive golden yellow flowers that are good for cutting and the border.

— *Mrs. Bradshaw*, fine orange scarlet semi-double flowers.

— *Heldreichii magnificum*, 18"; June-August. Bright orange.

*Gypsophila Bristol Fairy*, 2'-3', *Double Baby's Breath*; all summer. A very much improved form with a longer season of bloom; excellent for cutting. \$.50 each.

— *Ehrlei*, an improved variety, similar to *Bristol Fairy*. \$.50 each.

*Helianthemum vulgare mixed*, 8"-12", *Sun or Rock Rose*; May-June. Semi-evergreen rock plant producing rose-like flowers of many colors. Pot plants.

— *Fireball*. Double brilliant scarlet flowers. \$.35 each, \$3.50 per dozen.

*Hemerocallis flava*, 2'-3', *Day Lilies, Lemon Lilies*; May. Yellow; stand half shade. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— *fulva*, 2'-3', *Tawny Day Lily*; June-July. Orange. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Hepatica acutiloba*, 4"-6", *Sharp-lobed Liverleaf*; April-May. Bluish white flowers for wild garden or shady corner. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

All plants \$.25 each, \$2.50 per dozen, unless otherwise marked.

*Hesperis matronalis*, 1'-3', *Sweet or Dames Rocket*; May. Flowers, lilac to white, suitable for naturalization or shrubbery border. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Heuchera Rosamundi*, very fine coral pink variety. \$.35 each, \$3.50 per dozen.

— *sanguinea*, 1'-2', *Coral Bells*; May-July. Slender graceful flowers of coral red, good for cutting.

— — *alba*. White variety.

— — *Gerandole*. New salmon pink variety.

— — *rosea perfecta*. Compact pink form.

4 *Hibiscus incanus*, 4', *Marsh Mallow*; August-September. Large creamy white flowers with red centers.

— *moscheutos*, 4', *Rose Mallow*; August-September. Rose flowers with purple eye. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Hollyhock*, 4'-6', June-July. The well-known old-fashioned flower. Newport Pink, double; white, single; yellow, single. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Hypericum coris*, 3", *St. John's Wort*. Large yellow flowers on tiny plants for an open situation in the rock garden. \$.35 each.

*Iberis sempervirens*, 9"-15", *Evergreen Candy-tuft*; May. One of the best white flowers for the rockery and border.

— — *Little Gem*, 6", April-May. Good pure white flowers; plant neat and compact.

*Inula glandulosa*, *Golden Beauty*, 2'; June. Long-stemmed aster-like flowers of deep yellow. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Iris cristata*, 4"-9", *Crested Iris*; May. Pale lilac, crested flowers for front of border or rockery. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— *Kaempferi*, 4', *Japanese Iris*; June. Tall stately flowers with attractive foliage. Prefers moist position.

— — *Gekka no nami* (Waves Under the Moon). Early double white good substance, yellow center. \$.35 each, \$3.50 per dozen.

— — *Hana no nishiki* (Brocade Flower). Double. Bright violet purple veined white. Late. \$.35 each, \$3.50 per dozen.

— — *Kimi no megumi* (God's Blessing). Very large white petals ruffled on edge and veined with blue and a touch of yellow at center.

— — *Tora-odori* (Tiger Dance). White with violet tracings.

— — *Purple*. A very fine large dark purple flower with a touch of yellow at center. \$.35 each, \$3.50 per dozen.

*Iris orientalis hybrida*, 2', June. Similar to *siberica*, but not as tall; dark blue. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— *pallida dalmatica*, 2'-4'; late May-June. Large flower of lovely lavender blue shading to silvery blue at base. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.

— *pseudacorus*, 18"-2', *Yellow Water Flag*; May-June. Clear yellow. Excellent for margin of water. Requires sun. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— *pumila*, 4"-6", April-May. A good rock garden or edging iris of deep violet blue.

— — *Canary Bird*. Straw yellow with orange beard.

— — *cyanea*. Deep blue.

— *siberica*, 2'-3', *Siberian Iris*; May-June. A very graceful plant with attractive purple flowers. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— — *alba*, 2'-3', *White Siberian Iris*; May-June. A white variety of the preceding.

— — *Perry's Blue*. Light blue.

— *verna*, 4"-8", *Vernal Iris*; April-May. Flowers violet blue with yellow center. Thrives in half shade in mediacid soil.

— *versicolor*, 1'-3', *Larger Blue Flag*; May-June. Violet blue. Stands wet or dry situation.

— horticultural varieties: *Celeste*, pale blue; *Dr. Bernice*, dark red and yellow; *Flavescens*, pale yellow; *Pocahontis*, white buttonholed blue; *Quaker Lady*, lilac and buff; *Queen of the May*, lavender rose; *Rhein Nixie*, white and purple. Other varieties available.

*Lavendula vera*, 2', *Lavender*; July-September. Evergreen subshrub, well known for its fragrant flowers.

*Liatris scariosa*, 3', *Kansas Gay Feather*; August. Very showy spikes of purple flowers.

— *spica Munstead*, 1'. A dwarf compact variety of lavender. \$.35 each.

*Lilium candidum*, 4', *Madonna Lily*; June-July. The popular white garden lily; makes fall growth. Dormant bulbs (August). \$.35 each, \$3.50 per dozen. In pots for spring planting \$.50 each, \$5.00 per dozen.

*Lilium regale*, 30"-5', *Regal Lily*; June-July. One of the best garden lilies. Flowers tinged and streaked rose externally; internally white, yellow at base. \$.35 each.

All plants \$.25 each, \$2.50 per dozen, unless otherwise marked.



*Lilium tigrinum splendens*, 5', *Tiger Lily*; August. Old-fashioned lily; gorgeous burnt orange flowers. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen and \$.25 each, \$2.50 per dozen.

— *tenuifolium*, 2', *Coral Lily*; June. Very graceful slender lily with brilliant scarlet flowers.

*Linum flavum*, 1'2', *Yellow Flax*; June-July. Yellow flowers in profusion.

— *perenne*, 1'-1½', *Blue or Fairy Flax*; May-August. Delicate, graceful blue flowers for border or rock garden. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Lobelia cardinalis*, 2'-3', *Cardinal Flower*; July-August. Showy red flower for moist ground.

— *sylphilitica*, 2', *Blue Cardinal Flower*; August-September. Spikes of blue flowers; moist situation.

*Lychnis chalcedonica*, 18"-3', *Jerusalem Cross*; June-July. Flowers in bright scarlet clusters. \$.20 each; \$2.00 per dozen.

— *salmonea*. Similar to type but with flowers varying from white to salmon.

*Lysimachia clethroides*, 2'-3', *Japanese Loosestrife*; June-September. Spikes of lovely white flowers; foliage red in autumn.

— *nummularia*, 2', *Creeping Jenny*; June. Weedy, but good for dry places where the grass won't grow. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.

*Mazus pumilio*, trailing; May. Attractive creeper with small blue and white flowers in spring. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Mertensia virginica*, 1'-2', *Virginian Cowslip*; April-May. Blue drooping flowers, fading pink. Prefers moist ground; native; sun or half shade.

*Mimulus luteus*, 18", July. A western native for moist, shady places. Yellow. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Mitchella repens*, 2", *Partridge Berry*; June. Trailing evergreen; white flowers followed by bright red berries; peat.

*Monarda didyma*, 2', *Bergamot*; June-September. The old-fashioned aromatic red bee-balm. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Mysotis palustris semperflorens*, 8", *Forget-me-not*; May-June. Light blue flowers in sun or shade; prefers moist soil. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.

*Narcissus bulbicodium*, 6", *Hoop Petticoat Daffodil*; April. Little yellow fairies for the rock garden, in semi-shade; sand and peat; make an autumn growth. \$.40 each, \$4.00 per dozen.

*Nepeta mussini*, 1'-2', *Lipwort*; May-August. Spreading grey foliated plant, with violet blue flowers for border or rockery. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— *nervosa*, 1', July-September. Novelty. Clear light blue.

*Oenothera missouriensis*, 10", *Missouri Evening Primrose*; June-August. Large yellow flowers on prostrate plant in border or rock garden.

— *youngii*, 18", *Evening Primrose*; June-July. Bright yellow, very showy. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Opuntia vulgaris*, 10", *Prickly Pear*; July-August. Hardy cactus; yellow flowers.

*Ornithogalum umbellatum*, 10", *Star of Bethlehem*; May. Attractive white flowers, but beware of their rapidly spreading bulbs. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.

*Papaver nudicaule*, *Sutton's Pink Shades*, 1', *Iceland Poppy*; May-June. Shades of pink and rose. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.

— *orientale* *Beauty of Livermore*, 3'-4', *Oriental Poppy*; May-June. Dark crimson with black blotch.

— *Olympia*, 4'. New double scarlet poppy. \$.35 each, \$3.50 per dozen.

— *Perry's White*, 3'. White with maroon blotch at the base of each petal. \$.35 each, \$3.50 per dozen.

— *Mrs. Perry*, 2'-3'. Salmon-pink flowers.

— *scarlet*, 2'-3'. Flowers bright orange scarlet. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— *pilosum*, 12"-18", *Hair Stemmed Poppy*; May-June. Fine orange apricot poppy. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

Note: All poppies available in pots for spring planting.

*Pentstemon barbatus Torreyi*, 4', *Torrey's Beard's Tongue*; June-August. Graceful stalks of scarlet tubular flowers.

— *centranthifolius*, 3', *Scarlet Bugler*; June-July. Excellent gray-green foliage with scarlet flowers.

— *heterophyllus*, 18"-2', May-June. Flowers purple. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.

— *ovatus*, 3', May-June. Excellent, producing whorls of deep blue flowers.

— *Sutton's Blue Gem*, 18". A blue beard's tongue of the subglaber type.

*Peony mixed*, 30", May-June. Mostly whites and pale pinks in this collection.

— *Edulis superba*. Early dark pink. \$.50 each.

All plants \$.25 each, \$2.50 per dozen, unless otherwise marked.



Peony Mme. Emile Lemoine. Milk white; mid-season vigorous habit. \$.50 each.

— Felix Crousse. Ruby red; early; free blooming. \$.50 each.

— Festiva maxima. Early white, occasionally flecked red. Vigorous. \$.50 each.

— Sarah Bernhardt. Midseason pink—very fine. \$.75 each.

Phlox divaricata, 10"-18", *Blue Phlox*; April-May. Lilac blue fragrant flowers; sun or shade; border, rock garden or wild garden. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— — Laphamii, 15", May-June. A variety selected for its clear blue color. \$.35 each, \$3.50 per dozen.

— paniculata, 2'-3', *Garden Phlox*; June-October. Tyrian rose. White. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— — Europa. White with pink eye.

— — Enchantress. Soft salmon pink-color of Elizabeth Campbell, more vigorous grower.

— — Thor. Pink suffused scarlet.

— subulata alba, 2"-4", *Moss Pink*; April-May. Clear white variety showing yellow stamens.

— — Appleblossom. Pale pink variety.

— — G. F. Wilson. Spreading plant with soft lavender flowers, rock garden or border.

— — Vivid. Flowers pure pink with dark eye.

— suffruticosa Miss Lingard, 2'; June-July. White with pale pink eye; good foliage; excellent for cutting. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen, and \$.25 each, \$2.50 per dozen.

Physostegia virginiana alba, 3', *False Dragon-head*; July-August. White flowers in spikes. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— — Vivid, 20". Late July-September. Flowers deep lavender-pink, large and lasting longer than ordinary form.

Physalis Franchetti, 2', *Chinese Lantern plant*; fruit, July-October. Red-orange, showy calyxes, used for winter bouquets. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.

Platycodon grandiflorum, 2', *Balloon Flower* or *Japanese Bellflower*; July-September. Violet-blue or white bell-shaped flowers. Attractive long blooming plant for the border.

— — floreplena. Double row of petals; blue or white.

— — Mariesii, 1'. Dwarf floriferous form.

Plumbago larpentae, 6"-1', *Blue Lead-wort*; August-September. Brilliant blue flowers—foliage turns red in autumn; excellent for rock garden or edging.

Polemonium caeruleum grandiflorum, 1'-2', *Himalayan Valerian*; June. Large bell-shaped blue flowers, excellent for border. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— reptans, 6"-8", *Creeping Valerian*, *Jacob's ladder*; April. Attractive light blue flowers, half shade.

Primula acaulis (vulgaris), 6"-9", *True English Primrose*; March-May. Solitary pale yellow flowers. Semi-shade.

— auricula, 6", *Alpine Primrose*, *Auricula*; April-May. Smooth-leaved little plants; flowers in unusual shades of red brown and purple. Protect.

— capitata, 6", July-September. Deep blue purple; requires good drainage.

— cortusoides, 9", April-May. Rosy purple. \$.35 each, \$3.50 per dozen.

— denticulata, 1', April. Large heads of pale violet flowers. One of the so-called bog primroses, but they must have good drainage in winter in this climate.

— frondosa, 4", April-May. Mealy foliage—small lilac flowers.

— japonica, 18", *Japanese Primrose*; June-July. Showy whorls of magenta flowers. Same care as P. denticulata.

— — atrosanguinea, dark blood crimson variety of above. \$.35 each.

— officinalis (veris), 6"-9", *English Cowslip*; April-May. Flowers yellow through orange to deep maroon in clusters; sun or semi-shade.

— polyantha Munstead Strain, 6"-9", April-May. Large bunch-flowered primroses: white, yellow or mixed. \$.35 each, \$3.50 per dozen.

— — Flame. \$.35 each.

Pyrethrum hybridum, 1'-2', *Painted Daisies*; May-June. Popular red, pink and white daisy, with feathery foliage. In color.

Ranunculus Ficaria, 4", *Lesser Celandine*; May. Shining little plants with bright yellow flowers. Disappear. Spring only. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

Salvia azurea, 4', *Blue Sage*; August. Tall spikes of azure blue. Beautiful but rather leggy.

— officinalis, 2', *Sage*; June. The common herb. A subshrub, with purple flowers.

— Pitcheri. Similar to S. azurea except for color which is brighter blue.

All plants \$.25 each, \$2.50 per dozen, unless otherwise marked.

*Sanguinaria canadensis*, 8", *Bloodroot*; April-May. Lovely white native for shady places. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Santolina chamaecyparissus*, 18"-2', *Lavender Cotton*; July. Evergreen, aromatic, silvery foliage. Flowers yellow.

*Saponaria ocymoides*, 8", *Rock Soapwort*; May-June. Trailing plant covered with little pink flowers. \$.20 each; \$2.00 per dozen.

*Saxifraga sarmentosa*, 9", *Strawberry Plant*; summer. Attractive foliage—spreads by runners; not very hardy. Pale pink flowers.

*Scabiosa caucasica* Isaac House Strain, 30", *Blue Bonnet*; June-on. A lovely lavender blue perennial "mourning bride." \$.35 each, \$3.50 per dozen.

— *columbaria anthemifolia*, 2'. A very attractive shade of pink.

— *japonica*, 2'-3', *Pin Cushion Plant*; August-November. Flowers clear lavender blue. Excellent for cutting.

*Sedum album*, 4", *Stonecrop*; June. A rapid spreading variety with white flowers. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.

— *dasyphyllum*, 2"-3", June. Choice variety, having blue-grey bead-like leaves. Flowers pink.

— *lydium*, 3", July. Tiny creeper, light rose flowers; likes peat.

— *sexangulare*, 2"-4", June-July. Very dark green foliage; flowers yellow. Habit similar to *S. acre*. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— *Sieboldii*, 9", August-September. Leaves blue-grey changing to coral rose. Flowers fine rose pink.

— *spectabile*, 18"-2', *Showy Sedum*; August-September. Rose colored flowers. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.

— *ternatum*, 6", *Stonecrop*; May. Flat succulent leaves, attractive spreading plants, with white flowers; semi-shade. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Sempervivum arachnoideum*, 5", *Cobweb Houseleek*. Very tiny cobwebby rosettes. Flowers rose.

— *Doellianum*. Compact rosettes; pink flowers.

— *tectorum*, 1', *Houseleek*; June-July. Grey-green rosettes with pale pink starry flowers. Good plant for dry sunny place in rock garden or crevice of wall. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.

*Sidalcea Rosy Gem*, 3', July. Spikes of dark mallow pink flowers. \$.20 each.

*Silene Schafta*, 4", *Catchfly*; July-September. Bright carmine; color for the rock garden when it is most lacking. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Smilacina racemosa*, 2', *False Solomon's Seal*; May. Attractive wildling for shady border. Feathery white flowers followed by red berries. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Spiraea palmata*, 3', *Meadow Sweet*; July. Clusters of bright carmine flowers; moist situation.

*Statice latifolia*, 1'-2', *Sea Lavender*; July-September. Excellent cutting plant, producing loose graceful heads of purplish blue.

*Stokesia Cyanea*, 1'-18", *Stoke's or Cornflower Aster*; June-July. Flowers lavender blue—a fine perennial.

Sweet William, see *Dianthus barbatus*.

*Teucrium chamaedrys*, 6", July-October. Small wine-colored flowers for hot, dry situation. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Thalictrum aquilegiaefolium*, 3', *Columbine-leaved Meadow Rue*; May-June. Graceful foliage and masses of fluffy creamy white flowers.

— — *purpureum*, 3'. Excellent variety with purple flowers.

— *dipterocarpum*, 4'-5', July-August. Handsome plant producing mauve flowers with citron yellow anthers.

*Thymus azoricus*, 4"-5", June. Low shrubby sort with rosy purple flowers. Compact little plant for rock garden.

— *citriodorus*, 6", *Lemon Scented Thyme*; June. Attractive plant with dark green, lemon scented foliage, and inconspicuous purple flower; used in rock garden and border. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— *serphyllum album*; trailing, *White Mountain Thyme*; June. Forms a dense mat with attractive white flowers, fine for rockery or between paving stones. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— — *coccineus*, similar to above with crimson flowers and darker foliage. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Trillium erectum*, 1', *Purple Trillium* or *Wakerobin*; April-May. Prefers shade and rich moist soil. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.

All plants \$.25 each, \$2.50 per dozen, unless otherwise marked.



*Trillium grandiflorum*, 9"-12", *Wakerobin*; May-June. White flowers turning pinkish; natives, for wild garden or shady corner. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.

*Tritoma hybrida*, 3', *Red Hot Poker Plant*; July. Orange red and yellow flowers. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Trollius Ledebourii* *Golden Queen*, 4', *Globe Flower*; July. A new variety—very large bright yellow flowers. Likes moisture. \$.35 each.

*Tunica saxifraga*, 6"-10", *Saxifrage Pink*; June-August. Rock plant with airy pink flowers. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Verbascum Harkness Hybrids*, 6', *Moth Mullein*; July. Bold biennial with long spikes of yellow flowers. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

*Verbascum phoeniceum*, 2', *Purple Mullein*; May-June. Pale pink or purple flowers in spikes, springing from flat rosettes of leaves.

*Veronica incana*, 1', *Hoary Speedwell*; June-July. Foliage grey and creeping. Flowers blue, on spikes; good for both rock garden and border. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.

— *longifolia subsessilis*, 2', July-September. Attractive spikes of deep blue flowers. One of the best perennials for late summer bloom in the border.

— *repens*, 2", May. Trailing variety with blue flowers. Good carpeting plant for rock garden or stepping stones. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— *rupestris*, 3"-4", *Rock Speedwell*; May. Forms a thick mat with dark green leaves and brilliant blue flowers. Rock garden.

— *saxatilis*, 4", May-July. Bright blue.

— *spicata*, 2', *Spikeflowered Speedwell*; June-July. Flowers violet-blue; excellent plant of intermediate height for border. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— — *rosea*. Attractive pink form of above. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— *Teucrium Shirley Blue*, 9", May. Clear blue.

*Vinca minor*, *Periwinkle*. Evergreen trailing vine, bearing blue flowers in the spring.

*Viola*—Group I. The pansy-like type; hardy; flowering all summer if not allowed to seed. Most require protection in winter and frequent division.

— *cornuta* *Lavender Gem*, 6". Soft deep lavender.

— *Florariensis*, 6". Flowers pale lavender-blue, blooming all summer. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— *gracilis alba*, 6". White.

— *gracilis*, *Black Knight*, 6", May to frost, if picked. Almost black in color, combines well with apricot. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— — *lutea*, 6", May to frost, if picked. Large bright yellow flowers.

— *grandiflora*, *Jane B.*, 9". Similar to the English bedding viola, *Maggie Mott*, except for color, which is clear pluroma violet. Nearly two inches across and very fragrant. \$.35 each, \$3.50 per dozen.

— *Jersey Gem*, 6", all summer. A most attractive viola with fluted purple petals.

— *nigra*, 6", *Bowles Black*; entire season. Very dark purple, almost black, with yellow eye. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— *Sutton's Apricot*, 6", large apricot flowers, very fine. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— *tricolor*, 8", *Johnny-jump-up*; entire season. Saucy miniature pansies of many hues. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.

— Group II—Violets.

— *canadensis*, 1', *Canadian Violet*; May-June. Attractive vigorous white violets; shade. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.

— *odorata* *Rosina*. Novelty. Very fragrant hardy violet, blooming in spring and again in the fall. Rose pink. \$.35 each.

— *pedata*, 4", *Bird's Foot Violet*; May-June. A charming flower; resembles a tiny pansy; lilac. Extremely acid soil.

*Yucca filamentosa*, 6', *Adam's needle*; June-July. Large pendant creamy white flowers on stout stalks.

*All plants \$.25 each, \$2.50 per dozen, unless otherwise marked.*



## Shrubs

We have a supply of well-grown shrubs of the more unusual and rare type.

- Abelia grandiflora*, 3'-6', bush arbutus, June-November. Graceful shrub with glossy semi-evergreen foliage and white flowers flushed pink, which produce very attractive seed wings. \$1.00 each.
- Bamboo, 3'-10'. Hardy, graceful shrub with dark shiny evergreen foliage. This is excellent for use near a stream or for a tropical garden. \$.75 each.
- Citrus trifoliata*; hardy. Very ornamental tree, producing white blossoms in April, followed by profuse small bright oranges in the fall; excellent for hedges or specimen tree because of neat appearance. \$.35-\$1.00 each or \$10.00 per hundred for hedges.
- Cotoneaster horizontalis*, 1'-2', rock cotoneaster. Shrub with prostrate branches; attractive red berries in the fall. Good for rockeries. Potted plants. \$.50 each.
- Hydrangea arborescens*, 4'-10', snowhill hydrangea, June. \$.25 each.
- Jasminum nudiflorum*, 3'-20', winter jasmine, March-April. Deciduous, slender, graceful shrub with bright yellow flowers. Potted plants. \$.25 each.
- Kolkowitzia amabilis*, 4'-6', beauty bush, May-June. Arching shrub producing masses of pink flowers. \$.60 each.
- Meratia praecox* (*Chimonanthus fragrans*), 4'-9'. A cousin of the sweeteshrub bearing fragrant yellow flowers in winter. \$.90 each.
- Zanthoriza apiifolia*, 2', yellow root, April-May. A shrubby plant having finely cut foliage and dark brown flowers in spring. An excellent ground cover. \$.25 each.

## Annuals and Tender Perennials

We offer a representative collection of the better annuals, only a few of which are listed here. We will be glad to answer questions about these and about our annual seedlings, which we sell at very reasonable rates.

- Agathea coelestis*, 18", blue marguerite. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.
- Diplacus glutinosus*, 2', California sunbeam flower, buff-apricot. \$.20 each, \$2.00 per dozen.
- Heliotrope*, old-fashioned, purple, sweet scented. \$.25 each, \$2.50 per dozen.
- Royal Fragrance, large dark purple variety. \$.25 each, \$2.50 per dozen.
- Ipomea Heavenly Blue*, Morning Glory. Vine with large sky blue flowers. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.
- *noctiflora*. Moonflower. Vine with large fragrant white flowers. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.
- Lippia citriodora*, 2'-3', lemon verbena. Old-fashioned aromatic subshrub. \$.25 each, \$2.50 per dozen.
- Petunia*, Copper red. Double mixed; rose color; Sutton's Dwarf Mauve; Theodosia—ruffled pink; violacea gr. fl.—dark velvety violet. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.
- Plumbago capensis*, cobalt blue. \$.25 each.
- Verbena erinoides*, moss verbena, withstands draught, deep mauve flowers.
- Cerise Beauty of Oxford; Delta, clear lavender without eye; Lavender Glory; Mayflower—soft pink; deep blue violet; white. \$.15 each, \$1.50 per dozen.
- *venosa*, very showy purple flowers. \$.10 each, \$1.00 per dozen.
- Vinca major variegata*. \$.25 each.

## Perennial Seedlings

You, who are interested in watching and caring for your own plants, in avoiding the dangers of the seedling stage, and in saving a few pennies, will be glad to know that we have a fine lot of healthy, once transplanted seedlings of the more popular varieties at a very moderate cost—\$.60 per dozen.

Our list varies from season to season. Tell us the varieties you are interested in, in order that we may supply them.

## Perennial Borders

Estimates will be gladly given without obligation on perennial borders—plans, plants and planting, or on any part of these services that may be desired.